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Sir:

In response to the Communication dated June 14, 2001, copy attached, submitted herewith are:

- ☒ [X] An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ [X] An Assignment of the invention to Shimano Inc.
- ☒ [X] A check in the amount of \$1384.00 is attached to cover the filing fee of \$710.00, the surcharge fee of \$130.00, and the Assignment recording fee of \$40.00.
- ☒ [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 19-2042. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$504.
 - \$504 for 28 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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